

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1, 24 and 26 as follows:

E1 1. (amended) A food storage unit, comprising:

a container comprising a container top, a container bottom, an inner wall and an outer wall having a fixed geometric relationship, said inner and outer walls forming a channel there between, said channel including a label container area that is accessible by a user for the insertion of a label therein, at least a portion of said outer wall being translucent such that a label placed in said label container area may be read without being removed from said food storage unit;

at least one label support member that is located within said channel and is physically attached to said inner and outer walls, said label support member that prevents a label inserted into said label container area from falling to the bottom of said channel; and

a lid that may be fixably attached to said container top to seal said container CLOSED.

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24. (amended) The food storage unit of claim 1, wherein said lid comprises:

stacking support structure that may be engaged with a container bottom of another food storage unit to hold said food storage unit and said another food storage unit in alignment relative to each other.

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26. (amended) A food storage unit, comprising:

a container comprising a container top, a container bottom, an inner wall and an outer wall having a fixed geometric relationship, said inner and outer walls forming a channel there between, said channel including a label container area that is in close proximity to said container top, said label container area that is accessible by a user for the insertion of a label therein, at least a portion of said outer wall being translucent such that a label placed in said label container area may be read without being removed from said food storage unit; and

a lid that may be fixably attached to said container top to seal said container CLOSED.

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